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Fire Department: 972-625-3944

Firefighters battle two-alarm structure fire

THE COLONY, Texas — At approximately 5:38 a.m. today, The Colony Fire Department responded to a residential structure fire in the 4900 block of Brandenburg Lane.

Fire Chief Scott Thompson said the first crews to arrive on the scene were faced with heavy fire conditions in the front and attic of the house. Two adults, three children, and a dog were at home at the time of the incident. The male adult and one child did escape through a window, Thompson said.

While TCFD crews quickly contained the fire, a second alarm was requested for added manpower and to provide protection for neighboring homes. Units from Carrollton, Lewisville, and Little Elm fire departments provided on-scene assistance while Plano and Carrollton fire departments filled in to help cover the city during the incident.

Thompson said the house and contents suffered major fire, smoke, and water damage. The cause of the fire remains under investigation.

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